

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph 0020 with the following amended paragraph:

[0020] A chamber 34 is disposed ~~in~~ in the housing 28 directly at the bottom or rear end ~~32~~ 33 of the piston 26. The diameter 36 of the chamber 34 is larger than the diameter 37 of the bore 27. The chamber 34 contains an electric ignitable pyrotechnic charge 40, a bridge primer 42 (illustrated by dotted lines), and two electric pole pins 44 having electric insulated conductors 46 embedded therein. The conductors are illustrated only in a schematic manner. The pole pins 44 are fastened to a metal disk 48 which is welded around its circumference to a rear end 50 of the housing 28.